



2025 FLAG FOOTBALL AND SOCCER LEAGUES
SEASON TIMELINE

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- **Coach's Meeting will be taking place on Tuesday, August 5th at 6pm via Zoom.**
 - Coaches are given a hard copy of rules, and go over general information
 - Coaches pick practice time/day, if they haven't already
- **Clinics:**
 - 4year-Kindergarten Soccer: August 12th & August 19th, 5:15-6:15pm at Avery YMCA on Soccer Fields
 - 1st/2nd Gr. Soccer: August 12th and August 19th, 6:30-7:30pm at Avery YMCA on Soccer Fields
 - 3rd-6th Gr. Soccer: August 13th and August 20th 6:30-7:30pm at Avery YMCA on Soccer Fields
 - Flag Football Ages 4-6 years: August 13th and August 20th, 5:15-6:15pm at Avery YMCA on Soccer Fields
 - Flag Football Ages 7-9 years: August 14th and August 21st, 5:15-6:16pm at the Avery YMCA on Soccer Fields
 - Flag Football Ages 10-14 years: August 14th and August 21st 6:30-7:30pm at Avery YMCA on Soccer Fields
- **Teams emails sent out by August 15th (clinics may be extended for a second week. If so, team emails sent out by Aug. 22nd)**
 - Rosters, practice time, days, and locations are set.
 - Rosters are then emailed out to parents and coaches through Team Sideline with coach's contact info, team number, team roster, rules, practice day/time/location
 - Practices with your team scheduled to start on the week of **August 18th**
 - Teams cannot be finalized until registration is closed.
- **Team Sideline: www.teamsideline.com/jolietymca**
 - Coaches and parents will be notified of cancellations, changes, and all important info by emails and text messages from www.teamsideline.com/jolietymca. This will also be posted on www.teamsideline.com/jolietymca. **All parents, head to www.teamsideline.com/jolietymca and login to activate your account ONCE YOU RECEIVE YOUR TEAM EMAIL.**
 - Game Schedule posted on www.teamsideline.com/jolietymca by **Friday, August 29th**. The first weekend of games is **September 5th and 6th**.
 - Finalized game schedule posted on www.teamsideline.com/jolietymca and on team's individual Team Site.
 - 7 Game season. All leagues are expected to end by the end of October.
- **Picture Day: Sunday, September 21st at the C.W. Avery Family YMCA in the Multi-Purpose Rooms.**
 - **Picture Day Scheduled emailed and posted by September 15th**. The picture day schedule and picture day code is posted on www.teamsideline.com/jolietymca and emailed to all parents. To order pictures, head to www.pmiphoto.com.
- **Uniforms arrive the practice before your first game or will be given to your player immediately before their first game.**
 - Uniforms are ordered by August 18th. Anyone signed up AFTER AUGUST 18TH WILL NOT RECEIVE THEIR UNIFORM BY THE FIRST GAME. Uniforms for late signups will be ordered September 2nd. No registrations accepted after this date.
 - Uniforms are then delivered here to the Y. The Director double checks each team's order.
 - **Uniforms are given to coaches. They are planned to be given to teams at practice before the game, or immediately before the first game on their first game day.**
- **Make Up Games**
 - If we have any rain days or cancellations for GAMES ONLY, we will make up games on a Friday or in place of a team's practice prior to the end of the season. Cancelled practices are not guaranteed to be made up.
 - We do our best to make up games but cannot guarantee all cancelled games will be made up.
- **Medals**
 - Medals will be given to coaches at last practice to hand out at their last game.
- **No Games Plainfield's Homecoming: September 20th.**

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